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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.97-1.98, submitted herewith are copies of the references listed in the accompanying Form PTO-1449, except for any US patents and published US patent applications which may be listed.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to review the items listed on the PTO Form 1449 and make them of record in the instant application as required by M.P.E.P. §609.

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This Statement is being submitted after receipt of an office action on the merits. The \$180 fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(p) is submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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